

This submission responds to the Commission's letter of November 21, 2008 regarding the committee's October Quarterly Report.

- 1 & 2) The committee excercises best efforts, Schedule A has been amended to correct errors and omissions. The occupation of self/self-employed was provided by the donors through a third party conduit, ActBlue.
- 3) Expenditures for beverages, catering and food were for committee fundraising and not on behalf of any candidate.
- 4) Payements for ad production, audio visual, t-shirt design and web advertising were for committee operating expenses and not on behalf of any federal candidate
- 5) Schedule E has been amended to correct this error.
- 6) A payment to Alfred Rotondaro relates back to additional funds from an independent expenditure paid in May 2008. This additional amount was an additional charge that was unanticipated at the time the original Form 5 was submitted. A Payment to Eric Sapp in the amount of \$2,641.14 relates to payments disclosed to Eleison Group on Form 24 in the amounts of \$1061.14 and \$1580. Eleison Group is a dba of Mr. Sapp. The additional payment of \$2,641.14 was inadvertently omitted from the Form 24. The payment to Eleison Group was inadvertently omitted from the report.
- 7) See answer to guestion 6
- 8) The committee acknowledges that the estimate on Form 24 does not match the actual payment disclosed on Schedule E for National Catholic Reporter.

Payments to Eleison Group are explained in the answer to question 6 above.